

City Council Room

Austin, Sept. 4, 1871

The City Council met according to adjournment's
Present - His Honor, the Mayor.

" Aldermen: Messrs Wm Briggertoff, J. L. Buac, J. Musina
H. Madison, J. H. Robinson

Absent: Messrs J. L. Drummond, E. S. Eggleston, E. Wheelock.

Messrs Thompson Bros. having given notice in writing to the Mayor of their intention to take possession of the premises now used as the Mayor's office, by the 1st day of October a.c., on motion of Mr. Briggertoff, the Mayor was requested to appoint a committee of three, himself to be a member of said committee, for the purpose of selecting another suitable location for the Mayor's Office, whereupon His Honor appointed Messrs J. Musina and J. H. Robinson assistant members of said committee.

In consideration of the irregularities of charges for transportation of passengers in this city, Alderman Wm Briggertoff moved the appointment of a committee of three to examine the matter and report at the next meeting.

Messrs J. L. Buac & H. Madison were appointed on said committee.

On motion of Alderman J. Musina, the Mayor was authorized to transfer the mule belonging to the city to Long in payment of his account against the city, for \$175.00

Upon a petition of Richard Hoxwood and others for a suitable lot for the erection of a col. Methodist church, Messrs J. Musina, Henry Madison and E. Wheelock were appointed a special committee to consider said petition and report at the next meeting.

A protest of J. Lane against proposed improvements by the H. & T. Co. upon streets was referred to the street committee.

On motion of Alderman Wm Briggertoff, a petition of Messrs Russ & Moore to erect an iron stairway on the street to the upper story of their building on Congress Avenue, was laid over for consideration at the next meeting.

Alderman J. H. Robinson offered the following resolution:

Be it resolved, by the City Council of the city of Austin, That the Mayor be authorized to issue the warrants of the city for Fifteen Hundred (1500) dollars payable January 1st, 1872, to W. D. Anderson for erecting the embankment on Mason's road at foot of East River street. The order being suspended, the resolution passed its second and third reading and was finally adopted.

Alderman J. H. Robinson then offered the following amendment to Ordinance No. 199:

Be it enacted by the City Council of the city of Austin, That Ordinance No. 199 be amended as follows: where the words "Mayor and Marshal" occurs therein so as to read "Mayor or Marshal".

The rule being suspended, the amended ordinance passed its second and third readings and was finally adopted by the following vote
 Yeas - Messrs J. L. Reice, J. S. Muesler, Wm. Briggshoff, J. H. Robinson
 Henry Madson ; - Nays - none.

The resignations of W. D. Badler, city treasurer, and T. D. Girtle, city assessor & collector, were received and accepted.

Alderman Wm. Briggshoff presented a petition by sixty and odd citizens for the re-appointment of J. Marshall on the city police, and thereupon offered the motion to lay said petition on the table.

On petition of the city section was referred to the cemetery committee.

On motion of Alderman J. Muesler, the council adjourned until the next regular meeting.

J. S. Muesler
 Recorder.

Dec. 12th 1891. Mr. Girtle's Final Settlement.

		Cash	Currency
<u>Debit</u>	To Cash on hand, according to preceding statement	11. 00.	37. 25.
	collections during month Aug.		875. 98.
	untill Sept 1 st		1602. 25.
		<u>\$ 11. 00.</u>	<u>2452. 48.</u>
<u>Credit</u>	By Treasury Receipt N. 45.		100. 00.
	" " " " " 46.		200. 00.
	" " " " " 47.		100. 00.
	" " " " " 48.		150. 00.
	" " " " " 49.		150. 00.
	" " " " " 50.		150. 00.
	" " " " " 52.	25. 00.	
	" " " " " 53.		100. 00.
	" " " " " 54.		100. 00.
	" " " " " 55.	9. 50.	
	" " " " " 56.		1165. 40.
	" " " " " 57.		235. 25.
		37. 50.	2450. 65.
<u>Deducting of the returns in cin 23.</u>		50.	
<u>and converting into currency @ 112.</u>			26. 82.
leaves the amounts of		\$ 11. 00.	\$ 2476. 97.
<u>Total of collections as above</u>		<u>11. 00.</u>	<u>2452. 48.</u>
<u>Overpaid by T. D. Girtle</u>			24. 55.
T. D. Girtle, Ass. Collector			